

Established February, 1845.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1891.

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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LUNDON :- F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GOBDON & GOTOH, Ludgate Circus, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 37, Walbrook, E.C. SAMUEL DRACON & Co., 150 & 154, beadenhall Street. W. M. WILIS, 151, Connon Street, E.O. ROBBET WATSON, 150 Fleet Street.

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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. AUTHORISED CAPITAL .....£2,000,000.

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....£580,000. Head Office......40, Threadneedle Street,

West End Office...25, Cockspur Street. BRANCHES IN INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN

AND THE COLONIES.

THE BANK receives Money on Deposit, Buys and Sells Bills of Exchange. Issues Letters of Oredit, forwards Bills for Collection, and Transacts Banking and Agency Business generally, on terms to 'e Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of had on application.

INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS 2 per | with those ruling at home.

Cent, per Annum on the Daily Balance.

E. W. RUTTER, Manager. Hongkong, September 4, 1890.

NOTIOE. ED CLES OF THE HONGRONG SAVINGS BANK

1.—The turniness of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours. on week-days, 10 to 3 : Saturdays, 10

2,—Suma less than \$1; or more than \$250

at one time will not be received. No dopositor may deposit more than \$2,500 3. Dipositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.

4. - Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances, 5. - Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-

Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6 Correspondence as to the business the Bank if marked On Hongkong

Savings' Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 7. - Withdrawels may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent,

and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Bongkong, January 1, 1891.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$9,296,677.07 PROFESSIONS.

OOURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-J. S. Moses, Esq. Deputy Chairman-S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, | Hon. J. J. KESWICK. ALEX. MCCONACRIB T. E. DAVIES, Esq. C. J. HOLLIDAY, Esq. L. POESNECKER, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq.

AUTING CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,.....F. DE Bovis, Esq. MANAGER. Shanghai,.....JOHN WALTER, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County Bank

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 par cent. per annum on the dally

On Fixed Deposits:-For 9 months, 8 per cent. rer annum. n 4 per cent. "

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Oredita granted on approved Securities. and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drufts granted on London, and the shief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. F. DE BOVIS,

Acting Ohief Manager. Hongkong, March 11, 1891.

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Intiniations.

A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

CHEMISTS BY APPOINTMENT.

HONGKONG DISPENSARY. (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.)

Wholesale and Retail Druggists. ANALYTICAL, FAMILY, DISPENSING & GENERAL CHEMISTS.

PERFUMERS.

PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.

SEEDSMEN.

WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS, CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

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of our Firm, and THE JUBILEE YEAR of the Colony, "THE HONGKONG DISPEN. we take the opportunity of thanking our friends for their support during the last 50 years, and tender them the assurance of our best services in the future as in the past.

We shall continue to import Daucs, the BEST QUALITY ONLY as heretofore, at prices that will be found to compare favour-

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI,

24, Nankin Road. BOTICA INGLEZA, MANILA, Escolta, 14.

THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON,

Canal Road.

THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

-- LONDON OFFICE 106. Fenchurch Street, E.C. THE HONGKONG DISPERSARY, 21st January, 1891.

> PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 1165.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE-HALL, Zetland Street, THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHEEN are cordially INVITED to attend. Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

VICTORIA CHAPTER, No. 525.

FIRE First Regular CONVOCATION of CHAPTER OF HONGKONG AND SOUTH CHINA will be held in the MARONIC HALL, on

All Royal Arch Masons, Members of Victoria Chapter, are also cordially invited Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

avery flower that breathes a fragrance SWEET SCENTS LOXOTIS OPOPONAX FRANGIPANNI PSIDIUM May be obtained
Of any Chemist or
Perfumer.

CAMPBELL MOORE & CO., LIMITED. 101b. as heretofore.

NY OTICE isheraby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING of SHARE. HOLDERS of the Company will be held on MONDAY, the 27th Iustant, at 4 p m., at the Hongkong Horel, for the purpose of confirming the following Special Resolutions CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co., will be CLOSED from passed at the Extraordinary Meeting of Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, both days inclusive. Shareholders held on the 28th March,

1 .- That the word Ten in Article 80, of into Five. 2.-That Article 54, be altered by sub-

"The Directors shall not be more than

by substituting the word Six, for the word Twelve in such Article. By Order of the Board, J. Z. LEON.

Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

Business Notices.

ASSOCIATION! 9TH PRIZE MEETING.

FOR SALE MARTINI-HENRI-MATCH RIFLES.

CLEANING SETS. FITTED CASES of PAINTS and REQUIREMENTS, FRONT and BACK SIGHT PROTECTORS, POCKET CLEANERS in Cases, Verniers, Ventometers, Barrel Brushes ORTHOPTICS, BARREL REFLECTORS, GUN OIL, CARTRIDGE BAGS, WIMBLEDON SCORING BOOKS, &c., &c.

WATERPROOF GROUND SHEETS, SHOOTING BOOTS. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, March 25, 1891.

Victoria Hotel, Praya and Queen's Road Central, Rongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c , has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the grincipal Horals in the place.

The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East.

The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. SARY having been Established A.D. 1841," The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms.

The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken. Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,

Hongkong, September 16, 1885.

TAILORS, GENERAL OUTFITTERS, &c. (Opposite Hongkong Hotel).

ably with local rates, and in many instances OUR STOCK of SEASONABLE GOODS is now complete in all the NEWEST MATERIALS, comprising :- A Large Variety of DRESS SUITING from \$30, upwards. TWEEDS for SUITS, ULSTERS and INVERNESS CAPES, CORDS and ELASTICS for RIDING and SHOOTING, BRUCHES and LEGGINGS.

EVENING DRESS SHIRTS, COLLARS, TIES, GLOVES, SHK, LISLE THREAD and CASHMERE SOCKS; PATENT LEATHER PUMPS and SHOES, &c., &c., &c.

# W. POWELL & Co.

GENTLEMEN'S CHILDREN'S

W. POWELL & Co.

VICEORY EXCUSION April 13 1891

Intimations. HUMPHREYS' ESTATE & FINANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. NTOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary General MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held at its REGISTERED OFFICE, over the new premises of the Hongkong Dispensary, on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, together with a Statements of Accounts to 30th December, 1890. The REGISTER of SHARES will be

BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Accounts to the 31st December, 1890.

Hongkong, April 2, 1891.

inclusive.

The REGISTER of SHARES will be

CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 9th Instant

to THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, both days

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

HONGKONG DERBY, 1892.

THE WEIGHTS for the above RACE

L-will be weight for inches, not 10st.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Jowollers, Gold & Bilversmiths:

ATAUTICAL, SCIENTIFIC AND

INSTRUMENTS.

BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES.

ADMIRALTY & IMRAY CHARTS.

NAUTICAL BOOKS.

Christoffe & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY

in great variety.

DIAMONDS

- AND -

DIAMOND JEWELLERY,

A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON

RITCHIE'S LIQUID AND OTHER COMPARSES.

VOIGILANDER'S CRIEBRATED

METEOBOLOGICAL.

Hongkong, March 17, 1891.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH,

Clerk of the Course.

JOHN A. JUPP.

Secretary.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Ordin- !

CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 10th Instant, 738 till FRIDAY, the 17th Instant, both days inclusive. HENRY HUMPHREYS, Secretary.

Hongkong, April 9, 1891. THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND

the DISTRICT GRAND ROYAL ARCH FRIDAY, the 17th April, 1691, at 8.30 for p.m. preciselu. Dispensary), on THURSDAY, the 16th Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon.



the Articles of Association, be altered stituting the following words for the

Five and not less than Three in 3.—That Article 84 Para I, be amended

> Acting Secretary. 751 PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 749

Intimations.

Proprietors.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. COMPETITION for the Short Range A Haudicap CHALLENGE CUP and SPOONS will be held on SATURDAY

NEXT, the 18th Instant, commencing at 3.15 p.m. Ranges--600 and 600 Yards, nsual conditions. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 2,45 p.m. to convey Competitors. FRANK COLLINS, Horn Secretary.

Hongkong, April 14, 1891. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

731 In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN HENRY SMITH, late of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, STORE-REEPER, Deceased.

TOTICE is hereby given that the Honourable the CHIEF JUSTICE having, in N ary General MEETING of the above , virtue of Section 3 of Ordinance 9 of 18.0, Company will be held at its REGISTERED made an Order limiting to the TH AUGUST, OFFICE, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central 1891, the time for sending in CLAIMS (over the New Premises of the Hongkong | against the said Estate,

All Creditors are hereby required to send in their CLAIMS to the Undersigned before P.M. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the said date, and all Persons INDEBTED the Directors, together with a Statement of to the said Estate are requested to make immediate Payment. Dated this 14th day of April, 1891.

WOTTON & DEACON. Solicitors for the Executors. 35, Queen's Road, Hongkong. NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE

COMPANY, LIMITED. -NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fourteenth Ordinary General MEETING of the above Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE, SHANGHAI. on MONDAY, the 20th Instant, at 2.30 p.m., for presentation of the Report of the Directors and the Accounts to the sist December, 1890, the election of Directors and Auditors for the current year, and for the purpose of transacting any other business which may be transacted at an Ordin-

ary General Meeting. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th to 20th Instant, By Order of the Court of Directors. ALEX. ROSS,

Secretary. Bhanghai, 1st April, 1891. SHANGHAI RACES.

FILE MESSAGERES MARITIMES Co. and THE PENINSULAR & OBJENTAL STRAM English Silver & Electro-Plated Ware, Navidation Co. will Issue. RETURN TICKETS to SHANGHAI by their STRANGERS leaving on or about the 8th. 14th and 22nd Instant, available for Return by either line and allowing of One Month's stay at Shanghai.

Fares :-- First Saloon......\$60. Hongkong, April 6, 1891.

PUBLIC AUCTION

FIRST-CLASS HOUSEHOLD FURNI-TURE, BRONZES, VALUABLE PAINTING , ORNAMENTS, ETc.

Auctions

A Rare opportunity to Parties Furnishing.

THURSDAY. the 16th April, 1891, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp, at the Residence of R. A. GUBBAY, Esq., Woodlands Villa, Seymour Place, Castle Road,—

THE Undersigned has received instruc

tions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THE WHOLE OF HIS ELEGANT AND BEST MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

comprising:-

HALL FURNITURE, BRONZES, ETC., ETC. ONE VERY HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, UPHOISTERED ON PEACOCK BLUE and SILK EMROSSED TAPESTRY, OVER-MANTELS, ENGLISH WALNUT INLAID and BEVELED GLASS, VERY HANDSOME MANTEL CLOCK, (SILVER and GILT REPRESENTING LIGHTHOUSE), FINE MARBLE CLOCKS, VIENNA FANCY METAL TABLES and ETAGERES, CAN-TON BLACKWOOD CURIO STAND and MARBLE-TOP TABLES, SOLID BRASS FENDERS and FIRE BRASSES, FINE ENGLISH-MADE CHEF-

FONIER, (ROSEWOOD INLAID.) FINE IVORY CARVINGS, BRONZE GROUPS, JAPANESE and VIENNA, HAND PAINTED PORCELAIN, PLAQUES, CLOISONNE; MIRROR-BRACKETS and OTHER ORNAMENTS, VERY FINE OIL PAINTINGS by WELL-KNOWN ARTISTS, WHITE and CREAM LACE CURTAINS, BRONZE CORNICES, SOLID BRASSCURTAIN-POLES, AXMINSTER and BRUSSELS CARPETS and RUGS.

SOLID TEAK EXTENSION DINING TABLE, Morocco Covered Dining Room Suite, Solid Teak Carved Sideboard WITH PLATE GLASS BACK; HANDSOME MANTEL DRAPERIES, FINE DINNER and DESSERT SERVICES, ELECTRO-PLATED and GLASS WARE, CUTLERY, FAIRY LAMPS, METAL-LAMPS, MARBLE-TOP CONSOLE TABLE and Grass, Card Table, &c.
TWO SOLID BRASS BEADSTEADS with PATENT WIRE SPRING and HAIR MATTRESSES &C.; MARBLETOP WASHSTANDS and Sers, Marsletor Dressing Tables

and GLASSES, RED PLUSH COVERED WRITING ONE PEACOCK BLUE TAPESTRY BEDROOM ONE MOROCCO COVERED BEDROOM SUITE. SOLID TEAK WARDROBES WITH PLATE

GLASS DOORS. WATERCOLORS, CHROMOS, ENGRAVINGS VALUABLE BOOKS, STATUETTES AND LARGE QUANTITY OF BRIC-A-BRAC. BRONZE VERANDAH TABLES, SHANGHAI BATHS, PLANTS IN POTS. ETC. ETC.

Catalogues will be issued previous to Sale, and the above will be on view on Wednesday, A.M. TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, April 9, 1891: PUBLIC AUCTION

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, ETC., ETC.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 18th April, 1891, at 2.30 p.m., sharp,

at the Residence, of Capt. HARRIS, No. 5. Richmond Terrace.-THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising :-

TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, CENTER TABLE, COPTAGE PIANO, PICTURES. LACE CURTAINS, FENDERS and ILONS, ETC. EXTENSION DINING TABLE and CHAIRS, WHATNOTS, GLASS BACK SIDE BOARD, ELEC-TRO PLATED, GLASS and Chockery-Ware, CUTLERY, ETC., ETC. DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD with PATENT WIRE MATTRESS, ETC., ETC.; MARBLE-TOP

ROBE with MIRROR FRONT, BED-ROOM FURNITURE, ETC., ETC., ETC. Also,
A JAPANESE RICKSHA, nearly new. FLOWERS AND PLANTS IN POTS. Erc. Catalogues will be issued prior to Sale,

WASHATAND, and DRESSING TABLE, WARD-

and the above will be on view on Friday TERMS OF SALE. - Cash on delivery. G. R. LAMMERT. Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

I HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY, the 20th of April, 1891, at 2.30 p.m., at his

Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-

of Dhawers.

SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., (Property of a Gentleman giving up House-keeping), comprising :--MARINBURE-MAKE MARBLE-TOP SIDE. BOARD with BEVILLED GLASS BACK, MARBLE-TOP DEESSING TABLE and WASHSTAND. MARINBURK-MAKE DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, DINING TABLE, DINNER WAGGONS, HANG-ING WARDROBE and CAMPHORWOOD CHEST HODEIDAH, MASSAWAH, SUAKIM

Two Full-size Brass Bedsteads with WIRE MATTRESSES. MIRROR TOILET SETS, INVALID RECLIN-ING CHAIR, ADJUSTABLE READING TABLE, and MARBLE-TOP TABLES. DINNER, DESSERT and TEA SERVICES, and GLASS-WARE, ONE RICH AXMINSTER CARPET 16.6 × 14.6.

SUNDRY OTHER FURNITURE, ONE JINRICKSHA and ONE COOKING RANGE. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE. -As oustomary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, April 18, 1891.

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TO LET AT THE PEAK. (PARTLY FURNISHED).

"DROCKHURST" a detached Resi-D dence situate upon Mount Gough, about seven minutes walk from Plantation Road Station and from which is obtained a magnificent view of the Harbour and out to Sea. The HOUSE contains DRAWING-BOOMS, DINING-ROOMS, four BED-ROOMS, DRYING and BATH-ROOMS, &c., and has a Tennis Ground attached, which will be put in order at the Landlord's expense if the house be taken for a year.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. For further particulars apply to --PALMER & TURNER. Architects, &c.

No. 5, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, April 11, 1891. \* OHEFOO.

TO LET-FURNISHED TILL 15TH JULY. JER. CAMPBELL'S BUNGALOW, on V the East Beach. For Particulars, apply to

R. M. CAMPBELL, Shanahai. 11th April, 1891. TO LET.

NT OS. 9 & 11, Setmour Terrace. No. 4, OLD BAILEY STREET. ROOMS in College Chambers. OFFICES and CHAMBERS in Con-NAUGHT HOUSE, Queen's Road Central.
OFFICES in VICTORIA BUILDINGS. No. 2, PEDDER'S HILL.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, April 10, 1891.

TO LET. TOGETHER or Subdivided, Suite of THREE OFFICES on the First Floor. and GODOWN on the Ground Floor of the ICE COMPANY'S PREMISES in Ice House Apply to the MANAGER at the Depôt.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., · General Managers. Hongkong, April 7, 1891.

Notices of Firms. NOTICE. THE PARTNERSHIP between HOLMES

& RODYK, Solicitors, is DISSOL-

VED To-day by Mutual Consent. HENRY J. HOLMES. ARTHUR B. RODYK. Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

NOTICE. 732 THE Undersigned will CARRY ON BUSI-NESS at his OFFICE, No. 54, Queen's Road.

Solicitor.

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HENRY J. HOLMES, 14th April, 1891.

NOTICE. WE Have THIS DAY OPENED A BRANCH of our Firm at HANKOW

CARLOWITZ & Co. Hongkong, March 19, 1891. NOTIOE.

TAR. THEODOR LUTZ leaving China the authority given him to Sign our Firm by Procuration has been WITHDBAWN. Mr. MAX BIETH has been authorized to Sign our Firm by Procuration. Hongkong, April 13, 1891. 766 ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Shipping.

Steamers.

OHINA NAVIGATION-COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLANI PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE. The Co.'s Steamship Changtha. J. E. WILLIAMS, Com-mander, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th Inatant.

Second-class Passengers are berthed in th Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to

The attention of Passengers is directed

to the Superior Accommodation offered by

this Steamer. First-class Saloou and Cabins

are situated forward of the Engines

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SI GAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN, JEDDA, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

AND FIUME. Taking Cargo at through rates to OAL-CUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF. RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship

BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE

Maria Teresa,
Capt. R. Derenes, will
be despatched as above on the 21st Instant, at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after 3 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage DAY, the 24th Instant, at Noon. and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 8, 1691.

PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

Shipping.

Steamers. FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE. The Steamship

Capt. TH. HILDEBRANDT, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 16th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Siemssen & Co., Hongkong, April 15, 1891.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUL The Co.'s Steamship

Captain Lewis, will be despatched for the above. Ports TO-MORROW, the 16th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, April 15, 1891.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

<del>FOR NAGASAKI AND KOBE</del> The Steamship Guthrie. Capt. Shannon, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 17th Instant, at

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Verona, Verona, Capt. F. H. SEYMOUR, will leave for the above places on SATUR-

E. L. WOODIN-Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, April 7, 1891.

DAY, the 18th Instant, at Daylight.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. FOR HAIPHONG (DIRECT.) (Taking Cargo for TOURANE & QUINHON.) The Co.'s Steamship Captain Areal, will leave for the above Port on

SUNDAY, the 19th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, April 14, 1891. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVEE AND

(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER-DAM, LISBON, OPORTO, LONDON. LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.) The Steamship

HAMBURG.

Aglaia,
Capt. Christiansen, will
be despatched for the above Ports on MONDAY, the 20th Inst., at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, April 13, 1891. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, OHEFOO, NEW-CHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW

and Porte on the YANGTSZE.)

SIEMSSEN & Co.,

The Co.'s Steamship Myrmidon,
Captain Nelson, will be
despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, April 13, 1891. GOEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. . The Co.'s Steamship Captain Brown, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Hongkong, April 11, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

FOR LONDON. The Co.'s Steamship Chinawo. C. DE LA PERELLE, Com-mander, will be despatched as above on or about the 20th Instant. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, April 13, 1891. 780 STEAM TO STRAITS & BOMBAY. (Valling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement offers.)

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship Thibet, Captain W. L. Broun, will leave for the above places on FRI-E. L. WOODIN,

Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co. 's Office, Hengkong, April 11, 1891.

### Intimations.

DOOMS WANTED in Control Locality hy Two Bachelors.

Uare of China Mai' ! flice. Hongkong, April 11, 1891.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAPEHOLDERS.

NOTICE is herely given, That an EX. N TRAORDINARY General MEETING of the above Company will be held at the Company's OFFICE, No. 9, Queen's Road. Central, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 23rd April, 1891, at 4 p.m., when the sub- Count Vasquez ...... Mr. G. P. LAMMERT Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held This Day the 8th April, 1891, will be submitted for confirmation as a

Special Resolution : -"To Cancel and climinate from the Arti-"cles of Association paragraph No. 2 of "Article VI and substitute the following "in lieu thereof :-

2. The Directors in Meeting may in- | Special Request, with fresh Figures. "crease the Capital of the Company "by the issue of Sixty Thousand Shares of One Dollar each, and "the Company in General Meeting may from time to time increase the "Capital by the issue of shares to " such denomination as the Meeting

"may determine." "To Cancel and eliminate from the Arti-"cles of Association paragraph No. 5 of "Article XIII. "That to e Articles of Association be

"amended by the addition of the following 14th I astant. "clause after paragraph II of sec. 16,"viz -12 .- "That the Directors may at their " discretion abandon or surreguler the "whole or any portion of the Com-"pany's property, Sunghie Dua "Samuntan situated in the Malay "State of Pahang; on such terms

"and conditions as they may deem " That it be an instruction to the Directors "to issue the New Shares as Preference "Shares, and that the holders thereof be "entitled to a cumulative preferential divi-"dend at the rate of 12 per cent. per

" That in the event of the Company being "wound up the holders of the said pre- inst., at 11 a.m. " ference Shares shall be entitled to have " the surplus assets of the Company applied "in the first place to repaying to them of "the amount paid up on such preference "shares. The residue of such surplus assets "shall belong to and be divided among the " ordinary shareholders of the Company." By Order of the Board,

A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary. Hongkong, April 8, 1891.

### Notices to Consignees. SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP FLINTSHIRE, FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk, into the Godowns of the Kowloon Whalf and Godown Con-

wharves delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded canless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-Morrow.

PANY, at Kowlcon, whence and or from the

Goods have left the Godowus, and all Goods will be subject to rent.

the 21st Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ, JEDDAH, BUAKIM, MASSAWAH, HODEDDA, ADEN, BOMBAY,

COLOMBO, PENANG & SINGAPORE. THE S.S. Maria Teresa having arrived, Consiguees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns known

BE THE HONGKONG WHARP AND GODOWNS. Wanchai, whence delivery may be obtained Consignees wishing to receive their Goods on the Wharf are at liberty to do so. This Vessel brings on Cargo :-From TRIESTS, ex s.s. Imperator, tran-

shipped at BOMBAY. From CALOUTTA, ex n.s. Selene, transhipped at Colombo. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned BEFORE NOON, ON THE 21st INST., OR THEY WILL NOT BE BECOGNIZED.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 21st Instant will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

MOGUL LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP ALBANY, FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Kowloon Wharp & Godown Cov., at Kowloon, whence and/or from the wharves | Railways.

delivery may be obtained. notice to the contrary be given before

Noon To-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the does not apply to through fares from Chine Goods Insec left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining andelivered after the 70th Inst.

will be subject to rent. All Claims against the Steamer must be in the United States, should be sent to the presented to the Undersigned on or before Company's Offices, addressed to the Colthe 20th Instant, or they will not be re-

cognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, April 13, 1891.

### Entertainments.

CITY HALL THE HONGKONG CHORAL SOCIETY

BURNAND AND SULLIVAN'S COMIC OPERA THE CONTRABANDISTA, 'THE LAW OF THE LADRONES.

SATURDAY, 18th April, MONDAY, 20th April.

CHARAGTERS joined Resolution which was passed at the Sancho...... C. J. Holliday. R. SMYTHE. CHORUS OF ROBBERS, SOLDIERS & PEASANTS.

> The 'CACHUCA' dance from · GONDOLIERS' will be introduced by TRAM-CARS will Run from and to the

Dress Circle and Stalls.....\$2.00;

Ba k Seats, Stalls ...... 1.60. Doors op. n at 8.81 p. m.

Performance to commence at 9 p.m. Tickets obtainable at Messrs. LANE, Chawford & Co.'s from 10 a.m. on Tuesday, Hongkong, April 14, 1891.

To-day's Advertisements

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE.

STEAM TO SHANGHAL The Co.'s Steamship Capt. W. REIMKASTEN, will leave for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, April 15, 1891. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, KOBE AND NAGASAKI.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The Co.'s Steamship General Werder, Captain M. Erenet, will leave for the above Ports TO MORROW (THURSDAY), the 16th Inst.,

at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to MELCHERS & Co.,

Hongkung, April 15, 4891; NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIL PREUSSEN, FROM BREMEN AND PORTS

1111E above-named Steamor having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby remaining undelivered after the 21st Inst., informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are All claims against the Steamer must be being landed and stored at their risk into presented to the Undersigned on or before | the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kow-LOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Fund, or the Investments thereof, and unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. This Afternoon, the 15th Instant. Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd

Instant will be subject to rent. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they 785 will be examined on Thursday, the 23rd Instant, at 4 p.m. All Claims must reach us before the 24th DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA Instant, or they will not be recognised. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

MELCHERS & Co., Hongkong, April 15, 1891. Occidenta: & Urichtai bleam-

Sair Company. PAKING GARGO AND PASSENGEIG TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND

SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS, --

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURSDAY, the 7th May, 1891, at 1 p.m., connection being made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All Parcel Packages should be marked u address in full; and same will be received

at the Company's Office until 5 p.m. the lay previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco .... To San Francisco and return, 393.75 available for 6 months To Liverpool ... ... 325.00

To other European points at proportion-ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on application.

Pessengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Paci-

fic. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Passengers, who have paid full fare, re Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless ambarking at San Francisco for China of Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 % This allowate and Japan to Riverse

Consular Luvoloes to accompany Care destined to points beyond San Francisco lector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight sure Co.

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50a. Queen's Good Central J. S. VAN BUREN.

Acting Agent. Hengkong, April 15, 1691.

### To-day's Advertisements.

THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

A Final DIVIDEND at the Rate of Tex A SHILLINGS AND SIX PENCE (10/8) pot Share, on the Original Shares, £18 paid-up. and a First DIVIDEND at the Bate of 31 % on the New Shares, £2 paid-up will be PAID on the 24TH INSTANT. The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 24th Inst. (inclusive). ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, April 15, 1891.

STAG HOTEL

QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONOKONG. TITHIS HOTEL, situated in the most Central part of Hongkong has recently been R' FITTED and has Excellent Accommodation for VISITORS.

The TABLE is always well Supplied with the BEST ARTICLES of the Season. WINES, LIQUORS, &c., of the very best

quality only. CHARGES MODERATE. HING LEE & Co.,

Hongkong, April 15, 1891. THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP

Proprietors.

COMPANY, LIMITED. AT OTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY General MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at No. 7. Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on THURSDAY, the 30th day of April, 1891, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, when the subjoined Resolutions which were passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 14th day of April, 1891, will

be submitted for Confirmation as Special Resolutions. RESOLUTIONS. I .- That the words "for the full value thereof" contained in the third line of the first paragraph of Article XX of the Articles place TO-MORROW (THURSDAY), the 16th of Association be cancelled and there be substituted therefor the following "for the book value thereof or for such sum or sums as they shall respectively stand at

for the time being in the books of the ' Company.' II. -That the first six lines of paragraph of Article XXI of the Articles of Association from the words "The General Managers may" down to the words " to be" all inclusive be cancelled and that there be substituted therefor the following "The "General Managers may out of the net aunual profits of the Company after writing off a sum equal to less than Five per cent upon the book value for the time being of the vessels and other property of the Company for Depreciation during the previous year, in the first place set

tion as the Company in General Meeting may decide to be. III. -That the full stop at the end of the second paragraph of Asticle XXI of the. Articler of Association be omitted and that there be substituted therefor "and the Company may in General Meeting from time to time convert into Capital all or any part of the Reserve Fund for the time teing and the investments thereof and all or any part of the net profits or earnings

apart in each year such sum or propor-

of the Company in such manner as may '' he determined. IV .- That the full stop at the end of the first paragraph of Article XXIV of te Articles of Association be omitted, and that Daland. Mr and Mrs John Nation, Mrs there he substituted there for the following Lloyd, 2 children and infant, and 1 Euroor by advertisement or otherwise. V. That the Capital of the Company be increased to \$250,000 by the creation of 1,500 new shares of \$50 each, such in-

crease to be made up by the conversion into Capital of \$30,000 of the Reserve OPTIONAL CARGO will go on to Shanghai \$15.000 of the present profits or earnings of the Company. The Trausfer BOOKS of the Company

No Claims will be admitted after the will be CLOSED from 29th to 30th April, both days inclusive. Dated at Hongkong, this 14th day of April, 1891. RUSSELL & Co.,

General Managers.

WATER

MANUFACTURERS.

DAKIN'S SODA WATER Equal to

that of the Best MAKERS ENGLISH

IN LARGEST BOMBAY SIZE BOTTLES, SOUTH 50 Cento per dozen.

DISCOUNT to OLUBS, MESSES an HOTELS.

> Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS. April 16, 1801 : -Malwa, British steamer, 1,694, C. F.

Preston, Shanghai April 11, Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co. Talsang, British steamer, 1,500, H Hogg, Wuhu April 10, Rice. - JARDINE, MATHE.

fary: Singapure April 8, General -- Ban Thales. British atr., 815. W. Y. Hunter, Taiwantoo April 10, Amoy 11, Tamaui 12, and Swatow 14, General - Douglas STRAM

Bengloe, British steamer, 1,198 Farquhar, London February 28, and Singapore April 9, General.-Gias, Livingston & Co. Preusen, German stanmer, 2,879. W. 783 Reimkasten, Bremen March 4, and SingaBusiness Notices.

## FABRICS

SUMMER DRESSES.

DENGALINE, AND OTHER SILKS, LAWNS, CAMBRIOS, ZEPHYRS, AND THE LEADING FASHIONABLE MATERIALS FOR COSTUMES. DRESS-MAKING AND MILLINERY.

Hongkong Trading Company, Ld., NEW PREMISES, COLONIAL HOUSE.

pore April 10, Mails, and General .- MRL-CHERS & Co.

Archo, British cruiser, 1,770, Comman der Ferrie, Singapore April 7. Amoy, German steamer, from Whampon Parthia, British steamer, 2,035, Panton Saigon April 11, Rice .- ADAMSON, BELL &

Changsha, British steamer, from Wham-Clara, Gormon steamer, 674, II. Ipland. Haiphong April 11, Rico. A. R. MARTY.

Sury Wongse, German steamer, 513 F. Vil. Bangkok April 9. Rice. - WILLER'& Co DEFARTURES.

. April 15 :--Penshaw, for Manila. Alurine, for Hoihow. Chiyuen, for Shanghai. Belgic, for Yokohama and San Francisco. Glenshiel, for Shangbai. Kutsang, for Singapore and Calcutta.

Class. for Swatow. Flintshire, for Yokohama via Shanghai. Prometheus, for Singapore and London. Taisang, for Whampon.

CLEARED. Mongkut, for Bangkok. Frithjot Nansen, for Kobe.

PASSENGERS.

Aunived. Per Maluz, from Shanghai: for Hongkong, Mr J. H. Ormerod, Major Tottenham and servant, 4 Chinese officials, and 5 servants, and 16 Chinese: for Singapore. Mrs Gray and amah ; for London, Mr F. Grose, Mrs Westwater and children, Mr and Mrs Towell. 3 children. I infant and amah, Mr and Mr Bristow and 4 children.

Per Laju, from Singapore, 590 Chinese. Per Thales, from Taiwanfoo, &c., 3 Chinese saloon, and 175 Chinese. Per Bengloe, from London, 2 Europeans. Per Preussen, from Bremen, &c., Earl of Galloway, Lady Isabel Stewart, Dr Renton, Mesers E. Noah, F. W. Paterson, G. Knobloch, F. Reinedorf, Mr and Mrs Calender, Mr Faku, Mr and Mrs Laughland, Mr D. Lawcock, Dr T. W. Bagshaw, Miss Fook-, Mr and Mrs Reynolds, Mrs Walter, Mesers F. E. Theodor, Richards, Campbell. McInnes, Mr and Mrs H. Grauert, Dr E.

Papellier, Mr Dabelstein, and 172 Chinese. Per Parthia, from Saigon, 42 Chinese. Per Clara, from Haiphong, Mr Musso, and 12 Chinese. Per Sury Wongje, from Bangkok, 40

DEPARTED. Per Belgie, for Yokohama, Mr W. W. Campbell, Me and Mrs Cruys, Mr and Mrs R. H. Cook, Dr Schweger, Dr Vogel, Capt. and Mrs Glubb, Miss Barker, and 1 Chinese; for San Francisco, Mr Wm. A. ; for Liverpool, Captain and Mrs J Lopez, Captain Lloyd, Messrs Barclay, C,

C. Wiget, R F. Drury, W. W. Simpson. and T. Simpson ; f r London. Mr and Mrs Blacklock and maid, Mr H. W. C. Jones, and Mr M. Rodriguez Escudeiro; for Hamburg. Mr A. Westcatolz. Per Kutsang, for Singapore, Mr P. Donlee; for Calcutta, Mr John Foreman, and 1

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Taisang reports: Had strong Southerly winds, fog, tain, lightning and thunder. The British steamer Laju reports: Had

variable winds throughout and fine clear weather antil outside Lamma Island; then dense fog; it seems & 70 forther to the seems The British steamer Thales reports: Thick foggy weather throughout the voyage. The German steamer Preussen reports : Left Autwerp March 7th, Southampton 8th, Genoa 16th, Port Said 23rd, Aden March 28th, Golombo April 4th, and Singapore 10th, 7 p.m., reached Kowloon Wharf 15th. noon. The Berlin Wals are dated March 17th, During the voyage we had good weather and light winds.

The British steamer Parthia reports:

Had S.W. winds and hazy weather. EXPORT CARGOES. Per S. S. Glenfalloch, sailed 8th April \_For London, 1,293 bales Hemp, 24 bales Waste Silk and 10 pkgs. Sundries. Per S. S. Glauces, sailed 8th April :-For London, 115 boxes Tes, 364 bundles Canes, 6 cases Silks, 25 cases Blackwood-

ware, 200 bales Waste Silk, 20 bales Chinaware, 657 rolls Matting, 990 cases Preserves, 70 cases Bristles, 50 cases Fansand 50 cases Duck Feathers. For Hamburg, 284 rolls Matting. For New York, 24 cases Batlans. Per S. S. Sologie, sailed 6th April :- For Continent, 720 bales Silk, 24 cases Silk Piece Goods, 17 bales Waste Silk, 8 cases Essential Oil. 10 cases Bristles, 2 pkgs. Furniture, 1 case Bans, 100 cases Staranineed and 3 rolls Matting. For London, 10 bales Silk, 4 cases Silk Piece Goods and 1 box Sovereigns valued £4,500.

POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For BANGKOK. Per Mongkut, at 8.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 10th inst. instead of as pre-

viously notified.

FOR YOKOHAMA & KOBE .-Per Electra, at 9.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 10th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-Per Formesa, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, the 16th inst.

For KOBE Loju, British steamer 21,246, John Pal- Per Frithiot Novem at 10,30 a.m., on Thursday the 16th test instead of as previously potified. For AMOY & STRAITS .-Per Laju, at 1:30 p.m., on Thursday, the For EUROPE, &c .-

Per Malica, on Thursday, the 16th inst.

viously notified.

Oirculars at 2 p.m. Papers 3.30 p.m. p.m. Late Fee

4.10 to 4.30 p.m. instead of as pre-

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 17th inst. For SINGAPORE .-Per Aglaia, at 0.30 a.m., on Monday,

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

For NAGASAKI & VLADIVOSTOCK .-

Thursday, the 16th inst.

Per Michael Jebsen, at 3.30 p.m., on

Per Guthrie, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

Per Sishen, at 1.30 p.m., on Friday, the

For SWATOW, AMOY & SINGAPORE.

MAILS will close:-

For NAGASAKI & KOBE .-

the 17th inst.

the 20th inst. For STRAITS, COLOMBO, BOMBAY & TRIESTE .--Per Maria Teresa, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, the 21st inst.

For DELL — Per Taicheong, at 10.30 a.m., on Wedness day, the 22nd inst. For STRAITS & BOMBAY.

day, the 22nd just. For STRAITS & BOMBAY .-Per Thibet, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday, the 24th inst.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .-The French Contract Packet Melbourne will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. the 22nd April, with Mails to the United Kingdom, Europe, and places beyond, vid Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, -Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt Malta, and Gibraltar.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Puckets leave at Noon. The following hours will be observed in closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they leave at Noon. The Money Order Office will be closed at 5 the day before. 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and

Circulars ceases. (Prices Current and Circulars may however be posted up to IC o'clock if they are tied in bundles, country by country, with the addresses all one way). 10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

10.30 A.M. - Posting of Newspapers. Books, and Patterns ceases. 11.00 A.M. -Mail closes. TO-LATE LETTERS may be posted (from -11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late for up to 11.30 A.M., after which hour they may be sent on Board with the same Late

Letters Parcels, &c. for Kowloon Point and steamers in Harbour may be posted in the General Post Office up to 11.30 a.m. and 3.30 p.m. Letters from Kowloon Point may be posted in the Letter Box which has been placed in the Police Station Compound 'up

to 12 and 4 o'clock. Local rates will be charged. To avoid robbery, senders of letters from Kowloon are requested to cancel their stamps by writing the word stamped across Covers containing Bank Notes, Jewellery

There will be no Sunday delivery.

&c. should be registered.

Quotations. Hongkong, April 15, 1891. OPIUM-New Patna, cash,... 485 .. cash... --New Benares, cash, 466 cash, — Old , cash, — New Malwa cash, .. 490 Allowance, Tuels ... 32,48 Old Malwa, cash,... 500/40

Allowance, Taels ... 16/32

Persian, Oily, cash, 420/70 Allowance, Taols ... 32/48 Persian, Paper tied 420/40-Allowance, Taels ... 32/48 Exchange. Hongkong, April 15. Bank, Wire, ... 3/17

On demand.

30 days' sight, ....

4 months sight, 3/2 Credits, 4 Documentary, 4 months' sight, 3/3 On Paris-On demand, ... ... ... 4.01 Credits, 4 months' sight, ... 4.10 On Berlin-On demand, ... ... ... 3.22 On New York-Credits, 60 days' sight, .... 79 On Bombay— Wire, ... ... ... 2204 On demand, ... 221 On Calcutta-

On demand, ... ... 321 On Shanghai-On demand, ... ... 712 30 days' sight, private paper, 724 Gold Leaf, 100 fine ... \$32,60p tag Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)\$ 6.18 Temperature. (Taken at Mesers Palconer & Co.'s

Premises, Queen's Road.) BAROMETER- 9 A.M. ... 29.94 1 P.M. ... 29 90 4 P.M. ... 29.91 негмометия-9 а.м.... 78 1 P.M. ... 78 4 P.M. ... 72 (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 78 Do. 1 P.M. 75 Do. 4 P.M. 69 Do. Maximum 78

Do. Minimum over night 75

MEMOS. FOR TO MORROW Shipping. 10 d.to. Electra leaves for Japan. Il a.m. - Preussen leaves for Shanghai. Noon .- Formosa leaves for Swatow, &c. Noon. - General Werder leaves for Japan. Naon. - English Mail leaves for Ports

Call and Europe.

Meetings. Noon.-Meeting of Shareholders of Th Humphreya Estato & Finance Co. Ltd., at its Registered Office. 3 p.m.—Meeting of The Austin Arms
Hotel & Building Co., Ld., at 38 and
40, Queen's Road Central. 9 p.m .- Mooting of Perseverance Lodge. 9 p.m.-Meeting of British Mercantile Marine Officers' Association.

Auctions. 2.30 p.m. -Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at the Residence of Mr.R. A. Gubbay, Woodlands Villa, Seymour
-Place, Castle Road. Miscellaneous.

Goods per Steamer Yangtes unclaim ofter Noon subject to rent. Goods per Kutsang undelivered after this date subject to rent;

General Memoranda. TRIDAY, April 17:-Transfer Books of The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co., Ltd., closed from this date to the 24th Inst., inclusive 9 p.m.—Convocation of Victoria Chapter. SATURDAY, April 18:-

2,30 p.m.-Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at the Residence of Captain Harris, No. 5, Richmond Terrace, 3.15 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association. Goods per Kuisow undelivered after this

date subject to rent. 9 p.m. Performance at the City Hall SUNDAY. April 19 :-Goods per Glenshiel undelivered after

this date subject to rent. MONDAY, April 20 :-Per Thibet, at 10.30 a.m., on Wednesture, &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. 5.30 p.m .- Meeting of Victoria Precep-Goods per Electra undelivered after this

> date subject to rent. Goods per Albany undelivered after this date subject to rentaria 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. Tuesday, April 21 :-Goods per Flintshire undelivered after this date subject to rent. Goods per Maria Teresa undelivered

after this date subject to rent.

THURSDAY, April 23:-

MONDAY, April 27 :--

4 p.m.-Meeting of The Punjom & Sunghie Dua Samantan Mining Co., Ltd., at No. 9 Queen's Road Central FRIDAY, April 24 :--. Dividend of 10/6 on Share of The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co., Ld., paid.

4 p.m.-Meeting of Campbell Moore &

Co., Ltd., at Hongkong Hotel.

BY APPOINTMENT. WATSON & COM PANY, LIMITED.

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HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1891.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Lard.

2991 Hongkong, China, and Manila.

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THE amended gambling ordinance now before the Legislative Council will not set to rest all objections, but it is perhaps as near an approach to perfection as is possi ble. The two species of gambling that are to be suppressed are clearly set forth -unequal-chance, or professional, gam. Tax Sydney, with the Prench Man of the blipg of every kind without que 20th March, was to leave Singapore to-day, lification ; and what in contradistinction | the Loth inst., at 6 p.m., and may be expect. may be termed private gambling, if exces. ad here on or about Wednesday, the 22nd give stakes are ordinarily played for. The last. The Packet brings replies to letters definition might be improved by the omis- despatched from Hongkong on 18th tion of the word ordinarily, and there Bebruary.

would only comein the difficulty of determining what is meant by excessive stakes. We are afraid it is impossible to define in words what constitutes excess as sums that would be excessive to a man of small means might not be held to be so in reference to a man of larger means. The interpretation must be left to the dis-

cretion of the Judge Legislators generally err by trying to define too much, and it is. often safer, while avoiding obvious ambiguity, to leave interpretation to judges, who must be presumed to be fair, and sensible men. We cannot help thinking that the definition of a lottery might be omitted altogether, and the word allowed. to estand for the ordinary signification it has in the English language, The definition in the amended hill includes lotter ries dependent on the result of any race or contest, and by this means makes clear, what before was somewhat doubtful, that it is the intention of the authorities to suppress the insinuating Totalisator, by which the Jooksy Club made gambling easy and attractive and did an incalcitlable amount of mischief. But the definition is too wide, as it moludes all sorts of. gambling. The definition runs thus: Lottery includes any game, method or device whereby money or money's worth is distributed or allotted in any mannor depending upon or to be determined by chance or lot or the result of any race or contest whether the same be held drawn, exercised or managed within or without the Colony.' Now the so-much-talked of sixpenny whist would come within the category of games whereby money is diatributed in any manner depending on chance. The best thing to do would be to leave the word lottery to 2.30 p.m.—Auction of Household Farni- be interpreted by the Judge. Tha word has a meaning in the language distinct from ordinary gambling. If. necessary a special provision might be made for race or contest lotteries. The Gambling Bill has been further improved by making the prosecution of an

owner dependent on the fiat of the Attorney. General and by making the selling or buying of lottery tickets an offence punishable by a fine of \$25. The old Bill simed at the lottery agencies and indirectly at hawking, but did not seem to touch ordinary selling or buying. Whether the clause which runs ;- Any person. . . . selling or buying or in any way dealing in lottery tickets' would include race awaeps where actual tickets are not used, we cannot say. The definition clause itself covers the managers of sweeps; for a common gaming house is defined to include any place used for the purpose of a lottery, and the word 'place' is made to include any spot on land or water, while keeper includes any person having or appearing to have the care or management of such place or any one assisting him. If the law is rigorously inforced, we are afraid horse.

racing will become less attractive in Hong-

kong, as nine-tenths of the spectators at

race-meetings don't care a straw for the

racing in itself, their whole attention being

concentrated in the sweeps and beta the

are interested in.

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE CHINA MAIL (Via Southern Line.) ITALIAN MINISTER TO THE

UNITED STATES. London, 13th April, 1891. The Italian Minister to Washington has sailed for Europe, but only on jurlough; he

LOCAL AND GENERAL. PASSED SUEZ UAVAL. DEWARD BOUND !- Yangping, March 35 Chingping, 10; Cambodio, Edenholme, Zanzibar, 13 Barden Tower, 20.; ... Frigga, Thiebe, Pathan, Shanghae, 24 ; Telamon, Maori King, Thames, Sydney, Canfa : Fuling, Altonower, 31.; Glenorchy, April 3; Helle-rophon, Denbighshire, Polyhymnia, Tar-

garry, 10. IOMEWARD BOUND :- Galley of Lorne, Mar. 13 : Lydia, 24 : Agamemnon, Dellealion, Lennox, Strathesk, 31 : Ningehow, April 3; Nestor, Niobe, Glengriney, Bengal, 7; Bombay, Gleneagles, Neckar,

with the AMERICAN MAIL of Mer. 21 left Yokohama on Saturday, April 11, at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Friday, April 17. the M. M. Co. B. B. Sudney, with the French mail of Mar. 20, left Singapore on Wednesday, 15th inst, at 6 p.m.; and may be expected here on or about.
Wednesday, 22nd inst. This packet brings replies to letters despatched from

and may be expected here on or about The Union Line a s. Khin, from Hamburg; left Singapore on Tith April, and may be expected here on or about April 16 he P. and O. Co. a steamor Guellor left Singapore on April 12, at 2 p.m., and

Liverpoot, left Singapore on the 18th April, and may be expected here on or about the 20th April.

for this part on 8th April.

Hongkong on Feb. 12.

may be expected here on or about the O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Unutes, from The P. & O. steemer Nigam left Bombsy

tar, Glamorganshire, 7; Monmouthshire, Patamed, Polyphemus, Bandry, Glen-The following is a List of Waters always Antonio, Benlomond, 10. The P. M. S. S. Co. a s. s. City of Peking,

The O. S. S. Co. a steamer Mymmidon, from Liverpool, left Singapere on April 11,

China Sugare, \$200, cash,

THE small native state of Manipur. Moneopur, where the British resident and his force came to grief, is situated on the

THE departure of the English Mail steamer Mulica has been postponed till 5 p.m. tomorrow. The money order office will be opened till noon to-morrow, and the mail (for letters) will close at 4 p.m. Full particulars will be found among our mail

A chair-coolie and a ricksaw coolie were brought before Mr Wise this morning charged by Inspector Hennessy with being the managers of a gambling den in Tank Line. The defendants were found by the polico there last night managing a game of po-tez. They were sent to gaol for a

THE Band of the 1st A. & S. Highlanders. will play the following programme at the Barrack Square to morrow evening, Thursday, 16th, commencing at 7.30 p.m.:-March..... Hurtah for the Bounets o' Blue' Millers, Lancers... The Old Guard', Soloman.

Valse ...... My Queen ... Polks ...... Off we go ...

Vantous versions have been given of the telegram we published some ten days ago about Australian federation. This at least seems clear that the title of the Federation is to be the Commonwealth of Australia. We gather from a jumbled Singapore telegram that the Orown is to appoint a Governor General.

THE telegram received here about the surplus of British revenue was correct. The Singapore version which gave the surplus as being for the first quarter of the year was wrong. In the Indian papers the telegram runs :- The revenue returns of Great Britain for the financial year just closed have been published to-day, and indicate a surplus of £1,300,000 above the estimate.

Mr Wise held an enquiry at the Magistracy this afternoon into the death of Richard Ryan, police musketry instructor and storekeeper, who committed suicide at the Contral Station yesterday by shooting himself. From the evidence it appeared that Ryan had been drinking heavily of late and had been recently in hospital, suffering from the effects of drink. His wife stated that Shanghai on the 10th inst :- To-day respect of this year, the accounts of which he left No. 9 Station at 7.45 yesterday morning, and it appeared that he went di- proposed tohold a Public Meeting at the accordance with the resolution passed at rect to the police store, leaded a carbine and shot himself. His Worship found that death resulted fro u a self-inflicted wound

MR E. W. Maitland, Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial Hospital, bega to acknowledge with thanks the following donations to the funds of the Hospital :--

Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	810
Holliday, Wise & Co.	100
Reiss & Co.	10
E. D. Sassoon & Co	
Siemszen & Co.	
Gilman & Co.	5
Melchera & Co.	5
W. G. Humphreys & Co.	
E. S. Whealter	- 1
Mak Lai Tong	1
Officers, a.s. Fokien	1
J. Gomes	1
V. Carreen	

PRIVATE W. Johnston, of the A. & S. Highlanders, found himself in an awkward fix this morning on account of his having tried to boss a policeman last night. He was charged with assaulting Constable McEwen in the execution of his duty and tearing his uniform. The complainant said that while he was on duty in Corcoran St. last night a woman came and complained that she had been assaulted by two men. At to create some sort of provisional the same time the defendant approached and asked what right a policoman had to talk to a woman while on duty. On being told to go away defendant struck the compervitch, the woman in question, curroborated the policeman's story, and the defendant went to prison for a month, being unable to pay a fine of \$10 and \$6 compensation.

A blue jacket who was enjoying himself on shore yesterday created a good deal of and appropriately dealt with. commotion in Queen's Road East. He had and went out for a ride on that most wayward of quadrupeds. After a number of by Luan Wo, of Nauking Road Shanghai | button and feather.

hours 5 minutes. She arrived at Woosung graphic Co. Scenes on the Yangtte are him off.

at 3.45 p.m., making the run from Hongdepicted on the cards. Some thousands of Lin the Kisyu district of Hupch the testimony that the alleged fact is true, dred 43th Gurkhas from Saillong and one leaning to Woosung in 2 days, 3 hours, an Chinese lanterus with the Russian fley on farmers occupying land suffer. The secession from Mohammedanism took hundred 43rd Gurkhas from Gaubati to are going forward to the Nankin.

with this rickshaw man.

Ins only change in our Share List is :- We have received from Mr Cheaney Duncan, Hon. Scoretary of the British Morcautile Marine Oillours' Association. THE members of the Garrison Practice pamphlet, published under the auspices of and just now the Empire City is mad on who prefer to have a wide expanse of water officials are taken from the circle of the tain Battery. Dance will hold their next dence which the Association containing a Shistory of sending corners to the ladies of India, shallow enough to suit the length of their followers of the prophet who for that purwill be the last this season, on Thursday, the Sunday Labour Question in Hongkong, obiefly of reports and articles from the local papers, and the object of the publication, is explained in a prefetory note by Captain Ashton, President of the Associa-North East frontier of India adjoining tion, in which it is stated that the pamphlet is issued in the hope that it may arouse the sympathy of the general public throughout the British empire and enlist the goodwill of all others who take an interest in the welfare of the Mercantile Marine abroad.

> Wu learn that telegraphic advice has been received by the Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Li., from their Sydney agent, reporting all the drills and battery (20 stamps) to be working. Written advices dated 19th and 21st March were received per Guthrie. Mr reports having made assays of 'Selection' and Vale tailings which gave the following results

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follows :- 'The assays of a large heap of tailings at " Vale" are too good to be true, and I have asked Walton (the mining manager) to pick half a dozen samples and have check assays made, which no doubt will be fully 8,000 tons at the Vale. The other assays from Oliver's Freehold are for the tailings left over after Essdown's (the late My friend Ribeiro took out 10 cents and mining manager) crushing of the first stone mined by the Company. 5 5 5 5

On receipt of the above written advices, the following telegram was despatched from here yesterday : - Telegraph corrected assays "Selection" "Vale" tailings; and the answer received to-day is as follows :--Both average 1 ounce 13 dwis, per ton.

THE N. C. Paily News says :- In the report of the directors of the North-China Insurance Co. (given in another cliems no interim dividend is recommended, a state of things that, as far as we are aware, has not occurred before since the foundation of the Company.

A NATIVE paper writes :- The monopoly of meeting of shareholders to be held at the the camphor trade enjoyed for so long by a Offices of the Company, Hankow Road Foreign hong in Formusa has been with. Shanghai, on Monday, the twentieth day drawn, the Governor having received in- of April 1891 :structions to do so from the authorities at Peking, so that now this important trade is open to averybody.

The following express was circulated in being the anniversary of the dedication base of the statue this afternoon to pray the last meeting.

As regards the Military Contribution in Dividend of 10 per cent. Ceylon, it is quite settled that whatever else is done, there is to be no resignation of unofficial members either there or at Singapore or at Hongkong. There will be Despatches and Memorials, but it is felt on all sides that the true battle on behalf of the three Eastern Crown Colonies affected. must be fought in the House of Commons, and that what is done there, must be directed there by the three London Representative Associations. - Straits Times

being larger than the supply.-The nevertheless successfully here, as well as at of steel-bronke guns and smokeless powder. -The extension of the Kaiping Mining Jo. to Liu-hai has cost the company an extra tions of the Company, the Directors will an invested capital of about Tis. 2,300,000, in its mining operations at Kaiping

THE Singapore Free Press says :- It is regrettable that up till now Ceylon and Hongkong have left themselves unsupplied with the most valuable machinery that a ocal Association yields, and that Singapor has had to appeal to these Colonies Committee, representing the people of hese Colonies, with whom it would he possible to enter into consultation and decide if need be, on a course of joint action. And when once the needed local Associations are formed much of the individual energy to waste in aimless sporadic grumbling, and disjointed desires that something should be done would be directed in a practical way, and would that the interests of would be carefully and permanently sentinelled, and that dangers or abuses as they appeared, would be duly considered.

hours, 5 minutes. She arrived at Woosung graphic Co. Scenes on the Yaugtze are latin off.

ribbed with whale-bone and steel !!

PRIVATE letters from India report that the Government were delighted to get rid of the Tzarevitch, as everybody was in a state of trepidation lest he should be assessinated. He was terribly and most manifeatly nervous during all his public appearances, and he seems to be quite a harehearted creature, to judge from the state of abject fright in which he appears to live. During the official entertainments to the Tzarevitch the building in use always strictly guarded by a cordon of mounted troopers. In this onnection s story is being told which, if it has any foundation, shows what Nibilism has done for the nerves of Russian Royalty and its entourage. During a banquet given to the Tzarevitch at the Government House Madras, a loud explosion was suddenly Chapple, the Company's assayer at the mine, heard outside the window. At the sound the Tz revitch and his suite instant! sprang to their feet, with hands on their swords and consternation on their faces burst on the verandah. -Truth.

> THE HIGHWAY ROBBERY AT LAPSAPWAN.

A man named Chan Kai was brough day, charged with being armed with a revolver and with assaulting and robbing E Sanchez and S. Ribeiro at Lap-sap-wan on the 25th January last.

Emilio Sanchez, clerk to Messrs Schell hase and Co., said-On 25th January last I and two friends were walking at Lap-sapwan. The defendant followed us for some included in his next report. There are distance, then got in front of us and producing a revolver asked us in Chinese to deliver up all the money we had. hesitated and he thereatened to shoot us. held it out to the defendant. The defendant next asked my other friend, who said he had no money. He then came to me and I offered 20 cents. The defendant wanted more and would not let us go. Ribeiro produced 10 cents more. I also took made Ribeiro produce an additional ten cent piece. He told us to throw the money on the ground and go away, and we did so. We reported the matter to the police. saw the defendant this morning in gaol and picked him cut among ten others. The other complainant gave similar

> THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO. The following is the report for presentation to the fourteenth ordinary general The Directors beg to submit to the

evidence, and the case was remanded.

shareholders the annexed duly audited Statement of the Company's accounts to 31st December 1890. 1889. No further profit has accrued in have now been closed by the transfer of of the statue of Sir Harry Parkes, it is Taels 12,746.29 to Liability Account in

him to send down some of his spirit to the | The sum of Taels 247,960.62 has been divided as the result of the year's working,

> upon the Paid up Ca. pital...... Tls. 115,395.43 strangers. Bonus of 15 per cent. on

Shareholders' Contribunot improved since the previous meeting of examine her pulse. shareholders, the losses of the first haifyear having been followed by further se-

vere casualties. The balance of the working account on 31st December amounted to Tls. 661,417,23 THE Tientain correspondent of the Shanghai but since that date, Losses and Claims to Mercury writes :- The Kaiping Mining the extent of Tls, 381,051.58 have been in Company is doing very well, the demand curred, and as there is a large amount of unexpired risks outstanding, the Directors Austrians are gaining ground slowly, but regret to have to recommend that the declaration of dividends be deferred for con Peking and Kirin, in the manufacturing sideration until the ordinary genera meeting in October.

Lirectors. -As provided by the regula Tis. 300,0 0, so that now the Company has retire at the close of the meeting, but being eligible, offer themselves for re-Auditors. The accounts have been au

dited by Mr Augustus White and Mr An drew Burman, who also retire and again offer their services to the shareholders, By Order of the Court of Directors

ALEX. Ross. Secretary. Shanghai, 9th April 1891.

NOTES FROM NATIVE PAPERS.

(Hupao, nenalty of being severely nunished.

writer in the Sportsman is responsible for Their remedy was to build a dyke to keep degree, which requires at Confucian temples for an advance on Manigur; 2nd battalion the following :- New York is generally out the water, but that would mean fitter- devotions not theoretically accordant with 4th Gurkhas, 12th Burma Infantry, half represented as being mad on something, ference with the operations of fishermen, Mchammedan prejudices. But as many Battalion 60th Rifles, two guns No 2 Moun-Among the erticles recently mailed to a nets. Of late years the question has been pose put their faith in abeyance, the ex- referring to the Manipur outbreak, says the The contents of the pamphlet consist were no fewer then two thousand pairs of satisfactorily settled. In the present year tory. One of the anburbs of the nearest a regular British garrison been established corsets, seven hundred pairs of garters, before the spring freshets set in the farmers district city was full of Mohammedans, when Lord William Bentinck asked for it and three thousand five hundred dresses gathered several bundreds of their men who visited the recusants, revited them for for a strong policy then would have by apperior numbers. Both sides counted several dead and wounded. The Kinyil magistrate hastened to the scene to enforce order and arrested some men, who were leaders of the parties. The case has been reported to the higher authorities .- N.-C. Daily News

> MOUKDEN NOTES (From the Shanghai Mercury Correspondence.)

Towards the end of last year it was refinitely postponed owing to the large de- students, and the writer was assured by a It turned out that a soda-water bottle had Chihli saving emptied the Imperial Treat that many of the locturers showed a sury. Others thought that the proposal to thorough knowledge of the subjects treated, build the line had been made simply as a reflecting much credit on their teacher, Dr counter-blast to Russia in Siberia, and that Mackay. At the conclusion of the adthe Government never seriously meant to dresses, the wedding party having taken carry it into effect. Now, however, I learn up their positions in front of the pulpit, from a thoroughly reliable source that work Dr Mackay read the marriage service. may be started any time. Some time ago The bridegroom shewed the knowledge of before Mr Wise, at the Police Court to- Province were made by one of the found in uttering the responses, and engineers. The route has not yet been bride was most becomingly bashful, and finally decided upon. There are two completely lost her voice. The alternatives. It may run either from Shan being tied, the bridal party, and the Hai Kuan due east to the port of New- foreign and native guests, adjourned to the chwang, thence north-east via Liaoyang vestry, where the bride handed round tea and Moukden, or after leaving Shan Hai and cake. If the fact of securing the first Kuan, proceed in a north-easterly direct sweet from the cake bears any significance tion, following the Imperial road, via Chin- a well-known member of our community chow. Kuang-ning. Hein-min-t'un, and will verily have something in store for him. place for the Newchwang and Moukden over, so there will be some little opposibranch. The latter route will probably be tion between the steamers conveying them. chosen, not only because it is shorter, but also because it traverses a rich and prosperous country ; and at Hsin-min-t'nn it would be fed by an enormous trade from the great north-west. In any case it must keep 40 li west of Moukden lest the fong shul of the Imperial and other tombs be injured. So anxious were the authorities on this score that on the maps originally supplied to the Foreign engineers the Imperial tombs were out ten cents more, and the defendant intentionally placed west of the city instead

Manchuria has suddenly risen into pro minence. Its coal mines are now attracting the attention of a syndicate of foreign and native gentry. The other day I was told that a short time previous to the death of the Seventh Prince, that liberal-minded statesman obtained an Imperial Decree sanctioning important mining operations in Manchuria, especially boring for petroleum in four different centres, namely southern Chinchow, Foochow, Lisoyang, and east of Moukden Meantime it is premature to mention names, but to-day I translated two important letters from Foreign representatives of the syndicate to a high official at present staying here. Foreign engineers implements.

Manchuria is full of weilth, and China will not part with it to Musia without a Quinton was accompanied by hisson, Lieu- demoralization. Thousands of mon. they severe struggle: but she is altogether unprepared for it now. With the exception of Hunch'un the whole north east is quite by his daughter, but it is believed she only

Curious experiences sometimes fall to of a native young lady of eighteen, hidden

Some time ago I heard of a similar case where an extremely shy young lady with a tions...... Tls. 132,565.19 bad cough pushed out a hand from between 1890.—The position of this Account has two curtains for the foreign doctor to

WESTERN SHANTUNG. The society known as the Tsai, Li, the sensation in India. headquarters of which are supposed to be in Tientsin, has been often suppressed, and ched Manipur on the 22nd instant and the means of saving the lives of several of as often bursts out again into full vigor. was well received. He ordered a Durbar, the fugitives and the followers, Within the past few years, it appears to at which it was intended to arrest the Allahabad, 3rd April. - The Pioneer have apread southward, in this direction: Manipur commander of the forces. It is more than three years since mention . The party was then attacked on the night mission to Manipur was to recognize as was made in these columns of a case in this of 23rd, and the fighting continued all the Maharaja the old Jubraj, Kula Chandra district, in which the local magistrate cap- next day. The ammunition failing, the Singh. This man was associated with his tured the leaders of the Tag. La fraternity, I troops dispersed. just as they were about to hold one of their annual feasts. In the same place precisely ed Kohima. They reported the death of Chief, but afterwards assumed the title of the same thing happened a year or more Lieutenant Brackenbury and uncertainty Jubraj. later, and in the third moon of last year. | regarding the fate of all the others. the experience was repeated in the district Mr Quinton's party comprised, Mr Cou. Dise the old Jubraj as Maharaja, it was onof Techon. The magistrate had the five sine, Assistant Secretary, Messrs. Gurdon ly on condition that the new Jubraj should taken place in making reparation for the head-masfers apprehended, examined them and Woods, Assistant Commissioners, be deported. severely, and accused them of belonging to the Political Agent, Mr Grimwood, and The negotiations to this end-failed, and Orleans. The United States press regard the White Lily Sect, a name full of terrors | Mrs Grimwood, Mr Melville, of the Tele- Mr Quinton then decided to arrest the new | the action taken by Italy as hasty and refor Chinese magistrates ever since the days graph Department; Mr. Maley, Colonel Jubraj, whose name is Tekendragit, This gardless of the difficulty experienced by the of the Taipings. It was in vain for the C. McD. Skene, Captain O. H. Butcher, attempt, however, was repulsed. leaders to declare that theirs is a harmless Lieutenants Lugard and Chatterton, Sur. | Rangoon, 4th April. The messengers Louisiana legislature. It is now consider. society; the official could not be made to geon Culvert, Lieutenant Simpson, Captain | who were sent to recall Lieutenant Grant | ed unlikely that Congress will meet to understand what the particular 'li' o T. S. Boileau and Lieutenant Brackenbury, to Tamu failed to reach him. A letter was discuss the incident. 'ritual' is which they profess to observe, with 470 men of the 42nd and 44th Gpr. received at Tamu yesterday from Lieuten. and had them all beaten for a warning. The Acting Viceroy of Nanking has re- Since then the sect has to some extent wanceived communications from the Consul- ed, but at present in the districts next south General for France at Shanghai and from of this one it is flourishing and the adherents due at Manipur on the 27th instant, and At Tobal he captured a mud fort in which the American Consul at Chinkiang protest- are said to be counted by many hundreds. Captain Grant with 80 men was also advan- were from 80) to 1,000 men, after a severe in individual States. plainant and tore his cost. Blanch Kop- that, in case of public grievance, now runs ing against, and requesting H.E. to put a The people are all perfectly well aware of cing on Manipur from Tammu, but there is fight. stop to, slanderous pamphlets against the fact of the propagation of this sect but no news of either party: foreign missionaries which are circulated do not concern themselves about it, except The following troops have been ordered among the Chinese in Nanking. H.E. has with characteristic Chinese prudence to to Kohina at once. The 13th Bengal Ininstructed the district magistrate to appre- make it a point to refrain from all deprecia- fantry, the 1st and 2od Gurkhas, No. 8 hend the authors of such slanders and to tory allusions to the society, at fairs or Bengal Mountain Battery, the 36th Sikhs issue proclamations warning the people not other public places, as its adherents are so and the 3rd Bengal Infantity to Silchar. to be unfriendly to foreigners, under the numerous and widely diffused that a crowd | London, March 31 .- News of the disaster of them might coally be gathered to take in Manipur has caused a great sensation H.E. Li, Admiral of the Yangize, has vengeance upon one whenly nonepictous of throughout the country, and the papers made his annual inspection of the river, any evil. The head-master (or shifts) is discussing the affair deplore the necessity A review of the maval forces took place and said to receive a fee of about \$0.75 from for another little war in India, but recogby some means got hold of a China pony THE Russian colony at Hankow intend to a subordinate officer who performed his each adherent, which evidently makes it an one that it is imperative to assert British present the Czarevitch with a chaste and duties in a negligent manner was punished object to him to apread the new doctrine, authority forthwith. The Times says such she apan succeed at anything.—Chicago settled by arbitration. services and was deprived of his There is so little that is novel about mere an unexpected blow teaches cogently the News. abstinence from wine, onium and tobacco, lesson how multiform and ubiquitous are heir breadth scapes of various kinds the and is to be sent to Hankow immediately. In the Hupeh government works at that it is impossible to persuade the average the duties of the Government of India. ride came to a close in a wild tableau, in Salawodel. The salver is about two feet in for the transportation of machinery and design involved in this sent, especially as to the frontier states that Mr Quinton, Mr which the tar, the pony and a rickshaw diameter, the raised rim being imitation other heavy materials. H.E. Chang per- is noted that the recruits are nearly all of a Grimwood and Colonel Skene are prisoners were fantastically mixed up. When the top of the centre are, in Slavonic charge order that they may see for themselves the amokers, gamblers, and the otherwise ob. fled in the direction of Slichar with Cap. man and the beast—both of whom looked ters, the words. His Imperial Highness advantages of railways and become accuss jectionable. They are pledged to reveal the as If they had had a very lively afternoon Gosudar Heir Apparent Cesarevitch Grand tomed to them. Some ill-disposed persons secrets neither to father and mother above, and it is hoped that they will meet with were sorted out from the wreck of the this is a raised gold crown and streamers. for the fun of seeing the cars run off zin never to speak of halters in the house riokehaw, Jack gave a horrorstruck lunk at In the middle of the salver is N, the the line, or with the avowed intention of of the who was hanged, is quite Chinese in the ruis he had made, and fled the scene. Prince's initial, with gold leaves on both builtiying all the good effects of a railway its spirit. Upon visiting a certain village sides, the stems crossed below. At the on the people, or both, it is impossible to not long since, the writer was cautioned ed companion to look after itself and settle words Presented by the Russian colony in od, and several bad characters who were hammedans, for the reason that most of the The Manipura are becoming testive and Hankow, 1891. Luen We only had three caught piling atones on the rails were people in that village were presence of troops is urgently required. weeks to make this magnificent piece of panished. A well-dressed young man, bers of that race and sect, but were now. Fifteen Gurkhas have now reached Kohima. plate, so that his men must have worked apparently belonging to a well-to-do family, perverts to heathenism. As cases of this The Kukis are reported to have been the The M. O. Desly News says :- The Line hard to get it ready in time. The menu was among those detected in this mischief. sort do not appear to be sufficiently fre. attackers of Mr Quinton. Troops are being press of India made the run from Hong. cards have been designed in Shanghai by a He was promptly arrested and given 40 quent to relieve them of novelty, it hurried up from here, kong to Gutzlaff in ander 48 hours, the local French artist and have been lithe blows. He was further sentenced to be seemed worth while to make careful Colouts, let April The Officer comprevious best time being the Orien al's, 49 graphed by the Shanghai Photo Litho- dangued, but some influential pers n got inquiries of acquaintances in other minding in Assam has moved a hundred

OBSETS FOR THE WOMEN OF INDIA. - A | volume of water in the neighbouring rivers, the Mohammedans had taken a literary | Graham at Tammu in ten or twelve days and secretly began to construct the dyke. three days, and hung pieces of pork at their brought the State under complete control force of fishermen with guns and other the expiration of that time the separation under the influence of excitement is pruden weapons marched forth to attack the far- was complete, and the clan all lapsed into as well as laudable, it would be unwise to of the fishermen, who were overwhelmed in sound, from ma (horse) to ma (hemp.)

> FORMOSA. (From the Shanghai Mercury - Garceapondent.) Tomsui, 2nd April, 1891

On the 28th ult., the Foreign residents of Hobe were invited by the Rev. Dr Mackay to witness a very interesting function -- a native wedding a l'Anglais, the contracting parties being Pepohuans (savages of the plains). The ceremony took place in the native chapel, and was attended by many At last there is some hope of our natives and the bulk of the foreign com-Manchurian railway becoming a reality. munity. As a prelude to the ceremony, short addresses were delivered by the Rev. ported that the project had been inde- Doctor's numerous staff of preachers and mands for relief in the flooded districts of resident acquainted with the local dislect, additional surveys in the Shingching his responsibilities by the difficulty he Moukden, with a junction near the latter | The tea-pickers are beginning to come

> OUTBREAK IN INDIA. CHIEF COMMISSIONER QUINTON AND HIS STAFF TAKEN PRISONERS.

news that the Chief Commissioner's party | port Officer. raiding force at some distance to the south at Nigriting or Golaghat, and one month's several officers of the Assam Government | Silchar. and a guard of 450 men, was proceeding in a northerly direction from Manipur, where | Burma arranges for the Tammu Column. had been investigating affairs of the State with a view to the restoration of the perintendent of Telegraphs, Assam, is also Maharsiah whose position was recently a prisoner in Manipur. neurned. - Whether or not this alarmed the ain, but the fact appears to be that a service. large force of some six thousand men upon the party near the northern hausted and the Chief Commissioner and have been predetermined and are expected soon with boring and testing his Staff were seized. One British officer ranged by the Jubraj, formerly Souscuti. is reported killed, but nothing is yet known | whom the Chief Commissioner was comof the casualties on either side. Mr missioned to deport, tended also to their Chief Commissioner was also accompanied on all sides.

Mountain Battery have been ordered to was strongly fortified, was promptly occupiproceed immediately to Manipur. News ed without casualties. of the outbreak has created a great

tain Boileau. Mr Gurdon and Mr Wood. Captain Cowley's detachment of two hundred men which is advencing from Silcher. Mesers Simpson and Calvert are believed

No news has been received as yet regard ing Mesers Cousins and Melville.

average speed for the whole distance of them have been prepared in Shanghai and severely from inundations caused by place about three generalions since, and Nigriting for Kohima. The following freshets and beavy rains, swelling the was caused by the circumstance that one of troops will be concentrated under General

Missionary in India for his congregation always in dispute and has never been planation did not seem altogether satisfac catastrophe could never have occurred had Somehow the news leaked out and a large doors, as a contemptuous challenge. At But while the desire to refrain from acting mers, who were engaged diligently at work, idolatry and the use of coffins. Even the let it stifle reflection or blind us to the A fight occurred, resulting in the overthrow, surname was changed in character, but not lessons the incident is calculated to enforce when the actual attack upon our officers has been punished. We may trust the Government of India not to act without the fullest inquiry and deliberation, but it will probably be found on a survey of the pituation from the point of view either of his tory or of present circumstance, that our relations with Manipur must be established on a different footing, not only for our own interest but in the interests of the Manipuris themselves and of the surrounding

Calcutta, 2nd April.-Lieutenant Gurdon telegraphs from Lakhipur as follows :-- On the 24th instant a force was sent to arrest the Jubraj. The Manipuris resisted and a general engagement followed. Our side ran short of ammunition and retreated to the Residency, which the Manipuris attacked and shelled with their guns. The Chief Commissioner went to meet the Jubraj half-way between the Residency taken prisoner, together with Col. Skene and Messra Grimwood, Jousins and

The Manipuris then recommenced the attack at 2 p.m. on the 25th instant, and we were obliged to retreat, and could not defend the Tressury or the Residency. owing to our ammunition running short. We fought our way noross the hills until we fortunately met Captain Cowley's detachment, with whom we arrived in safety. With me were Mesars Boileau, Butcher, Wood, Lugard, Calvert, Mrs Grimwood and Captain Cowley's detachment.

The Treasury is reported to have been looted and the Residency burnt. The Langthabal detachment has been cut up and Mr Melville is reported to have been captured.

The following will be the Staff of the Expedition :- General Graham, C.B.: commands the Tammu Column and General H. Collett, C.B., the Kohima Column. Colonel Micbell, Assistant Adjutant-General, to be Calcutta. March 30th. - A telegram has Assistant Quartermaster General. Captain been received in Calcutta from Assam to Kitson will be Brigade-Major. Captain the effect that yesterday two Gurkhas of Dun Deputy Assistant Quarter Master the Frontier Police reached Kohima with General. Captain Willcooks Chief Trans-

had been surprised and overpowered by a . Two months' supplies are to be collected of Kohima. Mr Quinton, accompanied by supplies for the 3rd Bengal Infantry at

> The General Officer Commanding in Calcutta. April 2nd .- Mr Melville. Su-

The Manipur artillery is reported to be party in possession at Manipur is uncer- manned by Sepoys lately in our military The refugees attribute their defeat to the

insufficiency of their ammunition and their boundary of the State, and after a sharp went of artillery. The sudden and unencounter the ammunition was ex- expected nature of the attack, which must tenant Quinton. On leaving Shillong the say, seemed to spring up and attack them Kohima is being rapidly reinforced from

accompanied him a short way, and then Shillong and Dibrugarh. In the meanwhile returned to Shillong. It is no doubt this 150 rifles of the Naga Hills Military Police. medical men in China. To-day a foreign news which has led to the Viceroy abandon- under their Commandant, Captain D. Macdoctor here was invited to examine the foot | ing his tour through Kumaon. Already | intyre, assisted by Second Lieutenant & scene of the murder; but up to the present two native regiments have been ordered Clay, 43rd Gurkhas, left Kohima on the to proceed to the frontier at once, one 29th March, with Mr. A. A. Davis, Political Being near her marriage day it was not being the 3rd Bengal Infantry which leaves Officer, Naga Hills, and took the Manipur proper for her to be seen by men, especially Calcutta to-morrow, and troops are being stockade of Mao, on the British frontier on pushed up on the Burma side from the 30th March after a brick skirmish. The Manipur troops, of whom it is stated Allahabad. March 31st. - In consequence | there were about 250, being unable of affairs in Manipur the Viceroy abandoned stand the steady volley firing of the Mil his tour in Kumaon and went direct from tary Police, assisted by an occasional Nainital to Simla. Four regiments and a rocket, soon fled, and their stockade, which

> This prompt action, which was initiated, by Mr Davis, has promoted a sense of Calcutta, March Sist. Mr Quinton real security in British territory and has been

> states that the object of Mr Quinton's brother in the rising last September. The Only one saik and one sepoy have reach. latter was at that time Commander in-

Whilst the Government decided to recog. die the resentment entertained by the

khas. Each man had seventy rounds of ant Grant, dated 81st March, in which he delay in making reparation to Italy for the reported that he had reached Tobal, 10 lynching at New Orleans is owing to the Captain Cowley, with 200 Churkhas, was miles from Manipur, fighting all the way.

> Wir is the wine of intellect : do not I illuature turn it into vinegar. -Puck. THE better you live the truer will be you obituary notice .- Pittsburg Dispatch. IGNORANCE of the law excuses no one-

except the lawyer. - Drake's Magazine. Ir is a question whether the tree that brought forth good fruit was a family tree. The Italian papers now hint at having the If a woman can deceive another woman | question at issue between the two countries

That death loves a shining mark is proven when it reaches out for a bald-headed man. -N. O. Picayune. THERE are a good many people who are

always away from home when a good op- coke works, destroying twelve ovens beportunity knocks, Ram's Horn. Jos was probably the most proceeding child on record. He cursed the day that he the strikers some of whom the police afterwas born.

nickal, whereby results can be obtained which will leasen the weight of armor-clad ships one-half were the source to THE fastest vessel affoat is said to be the 3,200-ton English built war-ship intended Dhuleep Singh. for the Argentine Government : she made 21.2 knots under ordinary draft and 22.4 knots with forced draft.

A drear discovery has been made at

Pittaburg, Penn. in the fusing of steel and

No wave on the great ocean of time,

NEWS BY THE GERMAN MAIL

A GOLD STANDARD FOR INDIA. London, March 30th.-The Times, in an article this morning commenting on Sir Barbour's proposed scheme, which has been submitted to a Committee of the Bengal Chamber of Commerce, for stopping free silver and providing for the free coinage of ten and twenty rupos gold pieces, considers the scheme needlessly complex, and says that a sound currency scheme should work automatically. The article adds that a gold standard in India, with a subsidiary token in silver coinage, would work smooth. y, and would need no interference to keep

THE SLIGO ELECTION CAMPAIGN. London, March 30th. - The election campaign in Sligo to replace Mr Macdonald. the deceased member, has been the cause of most violent and severe conflicts daily between the partisans of Messrs Parnell and McCarthy. Yesterday, evening the police forces intervened with fixed bayonets after the combatants had indulged in furious stone-throwing. SOCIALISM IN BELGIUM.

Brussels, March 29th. - The police at Seraing last evening arrested three Socialists who were secretly arrested escorting five bundred pounds of dynamite. It is understood that the occurrence is connected with the labour troubles that have lately taken place at Seraing.

TELEGRAPHIC COMMUNICATION WITH CHINA. Allahabad. March 25th. -The Pioneer considers that the linking of the Indian and Universe telegraph systems need not be delayed much longer. Attention has been turned to the Lashio route from Mandalay to the Kanlon ferry, on the Salween, and as in all probability a railway will be built from Mandalay to Lashio in the next few years, there would be no difficulty to face in laying a telegraph line in advance. The country is settled practically to the Salween, and the Northern than tribes are well in hand. From the Kanlon Ferry, northwards, the Shan plateau is scantily populated and free from savage tribes, while British influence supreme in Thenni, to the North of Lashio.

THE CENSUS IN INDIA. Calcutta, 2nd April. - The preliminary census returns are completed, and the following totals may be taken as almost

The total population in British territory 220,490,000, as against 198,655,000 in the former census, showing an increase of close upon twenty-two millions.

The Feudatory States, omitting the incomplete returns from Bengal, Rajpootaus and Hyderabad, which may be taken at about four and a half millions; give a population of 61,410,000, making a total for the whole of India of 281,900,000 against the number at the last census of 250,700,000. It is probable that the feudatory total will reach 65 millions as against 57 millions at the last census, thus giving the total for the Indian Empire at 285 millions against 250,700,000. The Indian Empire thus shows an increase in ton years of over thirty millions. The increase in British territory omitting Upper Burms, is 9 47 per cent, and in the Feudatory States about 14 per cent, mak-

ing a total percentage of increase of 12:30 per cen: for the Empire. THE SHOOTING OF THE BULGARIAN

MINISTER OF FINANCE. Sofia, March 28th .- Further particulars of the shooting of M. Beltcheff, Minister of Finance, who has since died from the wound inflicted, places it beyond doubt that the murderer intended to kill M. Stambuloff, the Premier, who was in company with M. Beltcheff when the labor was shot. The semi-official Bulgarian organ Spoboda says that the crime is another piece of the handiwork of Russian diplomacy. A Greak has been arrested on sugpicion, and has been recognised as the purchaser of the revolver found near the the actual murderer has not been found.

Sofia, March 30th .- The Russian pres discussing the assessmation of Mr Beltchef the Minister of Finance, regards the murder as the proof of the necessity for European intervention in Bulgaria, which has become the refuge for adventurers of the worst kind. M. Karveloff, the leader of the opposition in the Sobranie, who is known as a Russophile, has been arrested and charged with complicity in the crime. Softa, April 1st.—The efforts of the

police to trace the murderer of M. Beltcheff have so far proved unsuccessful. Sofia, April 2nd.—Enquiries into the motive for the murder of M. Beltcheff have proved that the crime was the outcome of an extensivo conspiracy, which was organized at Belgrade and Constantinople. the object of which was to kill M. Stambonloff, the Premier, and two other

THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT AND THE NEW OBLEAMS LYNCHING. Washing on April 1st .- It has transpir. ad that Baron de Fava was recalled to in-Italian Government at the delay that has lynching of Italian subjects at New Federal Government in controlling the

Washington, April 1st.—The cause of the inability of the Central Government to in-I terfere with the administration of Justice Rome, April 1st. - The Italian press adopt

a moderate tone in discussing the New Orleans question and do not expect that any serious complications will arise with Rome, 2nd April. The Italian Government has repeated its demand for an assurance from the Governmet of the United

States that the men concerned in the lynching at New Orleans will be punished after they have been brought to trial. SERIOUS STRIKES AT PENNSYLVANIA. New York, March 30th .- News from

Pennsylvania reports that a serious strike and riots have occurred in the Pittsburgh district. A riotous mobof a thousand men out on strike to-day attacked several iron longing to the railway, and forcing the men employed to desist from work. These are wards shot down. MINUBLIAN ROUS. New York, March 28. - The Irish-America

cans are refusing to subscribe funds until the split in the party is settled. THE QUEEN AND DRULBER SINGE London April 2nd .- The Oneen vesterday granted an sudience at Grasse to

The death is suppurced of Lord Truro.

It is said that there is an element in the when once it has floated past us, can be re- common pineapple similar to peptine, and called. All we can do is to watch the new of such remarkable atrength that the juice form and motion of the next, and to is unch | of a single apple will digest ten pounds of upon it, to try, in the manner our best beef. It is further stated that the juice of judgment may august, our strength and the fruit is a very scrive solvent of the membrane found in diphtheria.

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Acting Agent. Hongkong, April 2, 1891.

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less notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-day. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

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